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FOR: CHIMERIC GENES AND METHODS
FOR INCREASING THE LYSINE AND
THREONINE CONTENT OF THE
SEEDS OF PLANTS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2004. This is a Amendment to the Sequence Listing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.825(a). This Amendment also serves as the response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

The substitute paper copy of the **Sequence Listing** is filed concurrently herewith.